er slumberer in loving arms-Dear dreamer 'neath the roses-I as free from all alarms hen this brieflife closesring on the hillside green. This weak old boy reposes.

Twas but a breathyet a woman's fair fame wilted. and once foud grew cold and stilted And life was worse than death.

SLANDER.

One venomed word, nek its coward poisoned blow n whispers, hushed and low. And yet the wide world heard Twas but one whispered-one-

stered low, for very shame, the slander dare not name. And yet its work was done. A hint so slight:

al yet so mighty in its power, bullan soal, in one short hour,

es pulchritudinis que ornant, muto." as at close of day the setting sun.

s down majestic, midst the clouds act for which he was once indicted. whose strife. cager is to hide him now his race is run hearty rife;

on so live, that where thou com'st to die, te with virtues, as the sun with rays, it shine more brightly the' thy foes lie don't hunt for excuses for the mistakes lie

of praise." PREMS OF INTEREST.

early 1000 men will soon be at work on appointments, the work has not been well

f her daughters. ght about a hundred duels. The emigration from Ireland to this coun-

clittle ship "Red, White and Blue," of ons burthen, is on exhibition in New ponset. Mass., is said to contain the it house in the United States. It was San Francisco judge recently arraighed entire audience in his court-room for

e report of my marriage is groundless; I shall continue to live on the European

ne kundred and thirteen lawyers in h Carolina have signed a protest against supreme Court Judges in that State

New York merchant once wealthy, but

to Chinese, it is said, now tolerate every treasury; but their support, such as it is,

Short riding habits are said to be the

At a public sale, in Augusta, Georgia, re-There is said not to be an editor in Swit-

aid to make \$40 a day at the business. rida plantation because the title was bad. The Havana press advocates the expulsion

grave the 14,560 corpses he buried during

According to the latest fashion reports in which our people are about entering, and ladies are to wear bows on their elws next season. The beaux will be de-

Philadelphia, is importing a flock of A Brazilian sayant has discovered that n were on the banks of the Amazon 20. srant has made a thousand appointments. circulating a petition to be presented to

we number of the disappointments is set the Legislature as soon as our people are in 1867, in twenty-four State prisons in

THE WEEKLY CLARION.

Appointments-Federal and State.

A Radical Senator (Cameron, of Pa.,)

was dismissed.

tive, will bear the odium.

spect, and in whom they have no confi-

to live upon the drippings of the public

is obtained at the cost of the favor of the

This much in regard to appointments-

a subject which is so trivial compared to

of life or death involved in the struggle

The Valley Road.

We learn from the Tallahatchian tha

the citizens of Tallahatchie county are

Herman by him be were side of the or of a

JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI, THURSDAY MAY 6, 1869.

in describing the general character of the His Return Home-Enthusiastic Reception recent federal appointments, mentioned by his Fellow-citizens-His Speech. two from his State as specimens. One

Some of the appointments in this immediate section are positively scandalous, that of Peyton, of this county to the that of Peyton, of this county, to the because of his devotion to the best interests office of United States Marshal of the of Mississippi, and every one felt that a becoming and proper tribute of respect should ample. It is known that he cannot truth-

fully take the oath of office. It requires the train arrived and he descended from the

persons engaged in armed hostility thereto." This oath has once been taken by
Peyton, and it led to his indictment for
perjury. Conviction would have been unavoidable because the facts were unde- and eloquent manner in which you have exunavoidable because the facts were unde-niable; but through the elemency of the which you have halled my return among perity. United States District Attorney the case you and hid me welcome. I accept it in the spirit in which it was intended. It is personal and not political. Your kindness to Lies crushed beneath its blight.

Computation: Somewhere in my reading feature timent and its paraphrase, and thinking timent and its paraphrase, and thinking to perhaps your readers might be as much

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Ed and served as a private soldier, there out to meet us, and bid us welcome back to our old home. By this you show us we are not forgotten. We feel cheered by it and will continue to thank you, and as long as my heart repeats its pulsations, so long will this welcome be cherished in our memory. After the many trials and disasters through the many trials and disasters through which we have passed, this meeting is truly which we have passed.

taken away by the fact that he sought which we have passed, this meeting is truly refreshing, but it is saddening, also. The picture has its dark shades—old familiar.

The Holly Springs Reporter Colonel, which was proof of his willing-ness to serve.

picture has its dark shades of the proof faces are not here, and they will appear no more in our midst. Since we parted many of our friends have been called to their final His acceptance of the present office in- account, and you have been left to keep volves a repetition of the discreditable vigil over their last resting places. Looking into your healthful and cheerful counternances on the one hand and calling to mind We have no idea that these facts ever my feelings overwhelm me and my conflict hose true men who are gone, on the other, all their darkness turns to forms with came to the knowledge of Attorney Gen- ing emotions can find no voice. Especially eral Hoar, in whose Department the appointment originated, much less was Gen. Howel Cobb. He was truly a great, good and Grant cognizant of them. But the pubvate and public, in the Legislative assembly a the council of State, and on the battlefield should try

of officials; and the Administration, or lie discharged his whole duty manually and well. In making up the jewels of the countries of praise.

O. F. D. I felt honored in having such a friend, and

done. As a cotemporary, the Port Gibpect of the fature. In this interchange of son Standard,) truly says, "no party, pected to derive pleasure, I assure you that, oria has found husbands for all but "however powerfully backed by extra-though in my absence I have wandered far, the city.—Grenada Sentinel. "neous influences, can hope to succeed, whose local leaders and representatives all the time, however, in my imagination, "are without character or influence, and ling climate. The greenest spots in my past "are despised by the great body of the life are to be found here; and wherever I "people. If Gen. Ames has been as suc- the same, that when my last sun had set and 'cessful in the choice of his instruments lite's fitful fever was o'er, my body might here find a resting place. I went to see the in other portions of the State as he has greatest living nations of the earth and the been in Claiborne county, his prospects. of success are not very flattering. If his struction in taking a survey of the whole. Though many valuable lessons were learned, yet a deep melancholy followed me and aphrased, America, "with all thy faults, love thee still!" At no one time was (says the Standard,) instead of flatter tempted to change my nationality—I was ing the colored men and securing their born on this soil and this country is my birth. sympathy, have only provoked their anger and disgust. They expected, may have all that money can buy and be surwhile they regretted, that several of the that taste or appetite can suggest, yet if he old officers of the county, who could not has no country, no place or Government, he is poor indeed. Thus in my wanderings I was often tempted to appropriate to my selfprescribed by Congress, would have to the wordsof Him, who was more than man. the foxes have holes, the birds of the air 'yield their places to others; but they have nests, but I have not where to lay my 'never expected nor desired that their head. Though I have endeavored all my life to live with a conscience void of offene successors would be taken from a class toward God or man, yet I have suffered per-

ring all things. Radical party could have wished to befall earlier. This question, you at once pretheir advocacy of proscriptive measures and the Captain ordered him aloft to arrange and their active efforts to stir up strife considerable height on the main mast his pointees, who are a bane to any party, will said, Patrick, are you dead? No, said Pat, I am not dead, but I am speechless! In Pat's of course be confirmed in their political affiliations so long as they are permitted gard to politics and the management of the aximilian's library was sold for \$4,000 other matters claiming attention that we on board the ship Nationality, where we are expect to busy ourselves very little about of employment in sailing the new ship, on which we are embarked. Few among us can hold office, a greater number hour, by Gen. Grant, will not weigh a feather against the sense of gratitusle re is said not to be an editor in Swit-which we sincerely feel for his rescue of better and wiser citizens, in their own estiour people from the EGGLESTON INFAMY mation at least, will treely undertake to diswhich would have placed them under the most hateful despotism ever known. And plexities. This state of things, I hope, will we can afford to give little heed to the appointments of Gen. Ames, in the trust Il Cuban-American citizens from the that he will secure fair play in the pend- that under the French Empire the people ing election. The appointments to office are trifling matters compared to the issue rights, in the rights of property, person and reputation, each man allowed to pursue hapand which should absorb their attention conduct of public affairs. He could hold no public meetings or criticise the acts of the Emperor or his officials. Hence he was exto-the utter exclusion of all other public empt from all care and anxiety on this head, and consequently the Frenchman was a hap-

Sed and a mountain was blown up.

There are 016 Mormons left in their colony in London. They expelled 107 members as year for "un-Mormon-like behavior." New York now enjoys two newspapers. New York now enjoys two newspapers was year for "un-Mormon-like behavior." New York now enjoys two newspapers was year for "un-Mormon-like behavior." New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was profiled 107 members. New York now enjoys two newspapers was new to the beginning and profiled now that they now enjoys two newspapers was new to the beginning and young the beginning and young the stable of the practice of virtue and sobriety, and all the practice of virtue and

From the Oxford Falcon. he must say it was wisest and best that the case should be so decided. From this posi-tion a duty is devolved upon every man Hon. Jacob Thompson. Each individual is bound to contribute his

of them, said Cameron, was a constitu-tional drunkard; the other a constitution-tional drunkard; the other a constitution-the Hon. Jacob Thompson, would reach this

place on the 7 o'clock, p. m. train, and pre-parations were made to receive him in a coming and proper tribute of respect should be shown him.

A large crowd of ladies and gentlemen were at the depot to receive him and when the train arrived and he descended from the Southern District of Mississippi, for ex- be shown him.

him to swear not only that he has never voluntarily borne arms against the United States, but has "not given aid, counted, countenance, or encouragement to sel, countenance, or encoura

in being deemed by him worthy of his con-idence. May the earth rest lightly on his In like manner, it may be said that if There is a threatened deluge of wild early motive exists to build up the Radical hope we may join him in those realms, was performed without the aid of chloroscapes, and the carry form or any other anesthetic agent. I have come back to see you and talk with

views, of hopes and fears, I hoped and exhave been, the desire with me has ever been ountries where the mightlest people of the past lie buried, and I found pleasure and inweighed down my spirits. I could never forget I was an American citizen, nor cease to repeat the line of the poet, somewhat parright and my inheritance, and by no act or deed of mine did I wish to forfeit it. A man "of persons for whom they have no re- secutions, but I trust I have borne them with patience. I have been reviled, but I have

not reviled again, hoping all things, endu-

But here you ask me, and very pertinently, why I have not returned among you and the conduct of its officials. There I am in the condition of an unfortunate Irishman who was a sallor on board of a ship at sea, with a heavy crash. The Captain frightenened, ran to him and in sympathizing tones condition I find myself at this time in regovernment for the last four years-I am speechless. In the late struggle for selfly bore the buffetings and beatings of the winds and waves, and finally went down amid the breakers, attracting the admiration of the world. We, the passengers, were thrown out into the turbulent waters and have been gradually picked up and hauled ed any lot of employment in sailing the new cannot vote. Possibly this is for the best, charge all the onerous duties of office and relieve you from all its anxietles and per ligent Frenchman undertook to prove to me were the freest, happiest and most prosperous in the world, secure in all personal ess in his own way and certain of reaping the fruits of his industry. He was debarred from one right only and that was for his good and welfare. He had no voice in the

mow enough to become politicians, have need the Prussian army.

The caves in Lookout Mountain, Tennesse, are said to contain "almost inexhaustible" quantities of bat guano.

A big blast was recently made in California. Twelve hundred kegs of powder were ised and a mountain was blown up.

There are a little properties and Jackson, as may be judged best by ting to the inevitable and exerting ourselves and the legales to take eare of ourselves and the legales were settled the next day by and no conse of complaint, as the bills of the delegates were settled the next day by the decomment. State with energy to take eare of ourselves and the Board of Directors hereafter to be disposition of 3000 first mortgage bonds of the company, redeem the delegates were settled the next day by the decomment. State of the delegates were settled the next day by the committee. We think in justice to the committee, these facts should be made known. Yours respectfully, skill and committee, these facts should be made known. Yours respectfully, skill and committee, these facts should be made known. Yours respectfully, skill and committee, these facts should be made known. Yours respectfully, skill and committee, these facts should be made known. Yours respectfully, skill and committee, these facts should be made known. Yours respectfully, skill and committee, the first mortgage bonds canceled by the bountful hand of Providence in our prolitic soil and genial climate. Let us by the bountful hand of Providence in our prolitic soil and genial climate. Let us by the bountful hand of Providence in our prolitic soil and genial climate. Let us by the search of ourselves and the look of the committee of the committee of the earge of ourselves and the lected. As citizens of Mississippi, the period first mortgage bonds of the committee. Look of the committee of the committee. Look of the committee There are 916 Mormous left in their colony in London. They expelled 102 members ast year for "un-Mormon-like behavior."

New York now enjoys two newspapers named "The Revolution;" one devoted to the legislation needed for the construction of a great road through a portion of the sibilities which may be needed for all the duties and responsibility devotes.

TELEGRAPH.

mite to make this people a great people, strong, happy, prosperous and glorious. I think we may all hold the firm assurance in New York, May 1.-The steamer Ala bama has arrived with \$69,000 in treasure. The steamer America from Panama fo minds that the public conscience in the gov-erning section of the United States will San Francisco was burned at sea. Four drunken British sailors, from the some day be awakened, that prejudice and

ship Kensinston were wounded in a fight with the Aspinwall police. The Columbia Legislature passed resoluuncharitableness and ill will in the end will give way to kindliness and brotherly love, that the heel of the oppressor will be rai ed, that our State government will be placed under the influence of the virtue, the intel-ligence, religion and wealth of the country, The yellow fever still rages in Peru. and we shall be placed on an equality with

and I feel as certain as the night succeeds the day, so certain will the Government still need you. Only be true and faithful to

Again, we thank you.

His remarks were received with an ap-clause which showed the deep hold he has upon the affections of our people. We are glad to note that he is in excellent health and buoyant spirits, and is confident that Mississippi will yet recover herformer pros-

MISSISSIPPI.

The Holly Springs Reporter publishes a mmunication signed "Voters," suggesting Dr. W. M. Compton, as a suitable can for Governor in the approaching State election, and the Oxford Falcon editorialy

onds the nomination. United States soldiers passed through Hazlehurst, on their way to Gallatin.—Copi-ahao.

Washington, April 30.—Boutwell has returned. Full cabinet meeting to-day, except Cresswell.

The Conservative says Mr. Wm. Ross. an old man, and for many years a citizen of that county has recently been confined in jail. He has become insane, and is danger-ous to his family whom he supposes to be

complete success. The epilpsy was caused by a blow received upon the head when she sidered in the Cabinet to-day. The utmost

The Valobusha river and the Abetupon bouge, are higher now than they have been known to be for years. The whole valley is under water and presents a magnificent sight to behold from the pine hills around

Yazoo city has two colored councilme

The Panola Star says, during the past charges. This is somewhat reversing the versago. sual order of things in Panola county. In the Grenada Sentinel we find the fol-

Wednesday evening last about three miles | please him. from town, which caused the death of four people, two men and two women by drownpeople, two men and two women by drowning. It seems that the party, five colored and one white, started to come to Grenada, large plantations and estates were seized and attempted to cross the Abetuponbogue, under confiscation decree, near the farm of Mrs. Mitchell. They enhardily reached the middle when the rapid current made the passage of the boat against it a most severe undertaking. Finally the fidence and sympathy for the mayor. canoe was forced downward by the rushing current and the negroes becoming frightened upset their craft and four of them. as above stated, met with a watery grave.

From the Brandon Republican. Sentiments of the Press.

We are delighted to witnes the great una-imity with which the legitimate press of Messeus, May 3.—It is reported that a mississippi advocated the adoption of the fight was progressing last night at Brownsourself in tayor of its adoption, provided vote on the objectionable clauses, and we now have the satisfaction of knowing that every conservative paper in the State, with washburne sailed for France on Saturday.

Set ics mortgage bonds of the company, redeemable October 1, 1890.

"H"—Statement of the floating and bond-We have never known such unanimity on any political subject, and we are delighted

From the Eagle we learn that Capt. Will O. Hall was met in the road near Springfield, v a mounted ruffian; who, with a drawn tol in hand, commanded him to "stand id deliver," in the bona fide Dick Turpin style. Capt. Hall instead of obeying put purs to his horse and left the scene with all sible dispatch. The robber did not pursue but fired four shots at him.

Gen, Lee and the President.

latter, however, after a moment retired, thinking perhaps the interview between Grant and Lee had reference to national natters. It did not, however, being confined Richmond, Raleigh and Charleston. mere formal greetings between the two. seen. Lee is stopping in the s was an occasion of great interest. No othvas an occasion of great interest. No oth-r interviews were had with the Paesident North and South Carolina, vice Bennet; S.

Editor.

From Dr. Davis' Iuka Gazette. lid not arise from lack of patriotism by ei-her party—nor a disregard of law and order: nor a disposition to throw off a Republican form of Government, nor from any other cause that will ever cause either to coalesce with radicalism. We once belongparty if you please, but we are a little too smart to be honey-fuggled by

WINONA, MISSISSIPPI, April 28, 1860. per signed "Logan," reflecting on the dili- the army. py man. Why cannot we in the conquered south, reason and feel in the same way? South, reason and feel in the same way? Under such circumstances my opinion is under the circumstance of our Church was a large of the committee in receiving dele
[Index of the committee in ble, the example of the Great King David.—
When his child was sick night unto death, he

Of our Church. Now, sir, the facts are these:

London. May 3.—The Paraguyan advices
Bills payable maturing in March 1820 2,700
assert that Lopez at the head of 10,000 men
Bills payable maturing in May 1800 10,880 what one hundred thousand.

I set, in twenty-four State prisons in country, there were 10,835 convicts, ling \$1,506,082 annually, and carning \$1,506,082 annually, and carning \$1,506,082 annually, and carning \$2,680.

I. Livingstone is evidently reserved for the first day were net at the legislature as soon as our people are mourned, fasted, prostrated himself upon the important dimensions in the Legislature as soon as our people are mourned, fasted, prostrated himself upon the important dimensions in the Legislature as soon as our people are depot, and cared for; but owing to the high water, on Thursday, there was no communication with Canton. And we were assured by the conductor and also by the safety of the Republican, has been added to the Committee which visits New poperate a railroad from some point on the surfed himself upon the depot, and cared for; but owing to the high water, on Thursday, there was no communication with Canton. And we were assured by the conductor and also by the surfed himself upon the depot, and cared for; but owing to the high water, on Thursday, there was no communication with Canton. And we were assured by the conductor and also by the surfered, fasted, prosect that there was no probability of a gay clothing and appeared to his sured by the conductor and also by the surfered, fasted, prosect that there was no probability of a gay clothing and appeared to his sured by the conductor and also by the surfered, fasted, prosect that there was no probability of a gay clothing and appeared to his sured by the conductor and also by the surfered have the first day were net at the Legislature as soon as our people are the first day were net at the light depot, and cared for; but owing to the high depot, and cared for; but owing to the high depot, and cared for; but owing to the high depot, and cared for; but owing to the high depot, and cared for; but owing to the high depot, and cared for; but owing to the high depot, and cared for; but owing to the high depot, and cared for; but owing to t great future. In spite of newspapers and avages, he will keep alive.

Count Bismarck's two sons, who did not mow enough to become politicians, have needed the Prussian army.

Suffered, fasted, prayed, shed our blood and yazoo was it the duty of the committee to be at the duty of the committee to

[REPORTED FOR THE CLARION.]

tions impeaching the President and four of Washington, May 1.-Gen. Dent has in-timated to Gen. Lee that Gen. Grant desires him to visit Philadelphia.

The Cuban meeting last night was an immense success, all political parties partici-

A permanent committee of thirteen was appointed to consult and act with the Cuban The resolutions adopted were very strong

still need you. Only be true and faithful to yourselves and your whole country, and be prepared to act well your part when that day arrives.

Congress.

Montgomery, Ala. May 1.—The members of the Illinois Press Association, who have for some days been the guests of the city, left per steamer for Selma, Ala., at 10 They were much pleased with the visit and received much courtesy and atten-tion. They go from Selma to Columbus

Miss., and thence to their homes. The late rains are proving very disastrons. Many of the streams are out of their banks, and much cotton and corn has been drowned. Farmers are much depressed in consequence. The rain still continues. Milton J. Saffold, Internal Revenue Su-

pervisor for the States of Alabama, Georgia and Florida, has resigned, to take effect toand Florida, has resigned, to take effect fo-day. He has been appointed by Governor Smith Special Messenger to represent Ala-abama interests in the public lands. Galveston, April 39.—To-day an attempt was made by a man to break up a colore.

Methodist quarterly meeting at Columbia.

Texas, was promptly stopped by citizens, who protected the minister and congrega-

A Republican Convention is called to meet at Houston, on the fourth Monday in May, to harmonize if possible the two wings of that party to nominate candidates for

felk on Tuesday, then she joins the Gulf The President has appointed Alfred Sanford, supervising Inspector of Steamboats in the 4th district.

The last spike on the Pacific Railroad wi'l The Canton Mail says that Dr. A. T. Magruder, of Madison county, trephined a young lady for epilepsy last week, with

be driven on Monday. The blows of the sledge hammer will be recorded at every telegraph office throughout the country.

Dr. Brink delivered Mexican despatches

secrecy is observed regarding their charac-Is the appeal of Clark, Dodge & Co., against the decision of Assessor Webster, the Commissioner virtually sustains Web-

This decision increases the broker's tax in New York about ten millions of dollars.
The Cabinet considered Southern elections o-lay, nothing of importance transpired. CHICAGO, May 4 .- Advices from the Inparters, say everything that has been done lose to make peace with the Sioux, as a na-

WASHINGTON, May 4 .- Gen, Lee accom-A most distressing accident occurred on station, as it was understood it would dis-HAVANA, May 4 - Revolutionary Congress

Petersburg, May 3 .- The recall of Stoeck tered a canou and one of them commenced to propel the craft along by a rope which is tied over and across the stream. They had Cork, May 3.—A mass meeting on Satur-

COER, May 3.—A mass meeting on Saturday, endorsed the mayor's recent speech, and resolutions were passed expressing conidence and sympathy for the mayor.

Oмана, May 3.—The Central Pacific Railthe road, estimated at \$1.500,000 per annum. Point on Saturday; the Union Pacific is delayed by heavy rock cutting and bridging. It is doubtful if the Roads will meet before New York, May 3.—Butler pleads for

new Constitution, with the odious features ville, Tennessee, and at last accounts, two stricken out, or rather, with the Grant negroes and one white person had been amendments. Two weeks ago we declared killed.

H. T. Blow, of St. Louis, has been regular-ly commissioned as Minister to Brazil. ed debt of the Company on the 28th, Febru-ary, 1869. Commissioner Delano has been notified to see it because it is a sure guarantee of suc-cess. Commissioner Delano has been notined that his decision sustaining Webster assess-ments, will be contested in Court by 1869, embracing the following statements: Bankers and Brokers. The Dyer court martial is now in secret session preparing a verdict from evidence; Counsel having waived 1869.

proceed to Havana, where the federal war vessel will convey him to Vera Cruz. There the year ending 28th February, 1863 is no truth in newspaper statements that the Mexican Government proposes to sell 1866, to February 28, 1869. The interview between Gen. Lee and the President was marked by great courtesy. When Gen Lee was ushered into the executive will render answers unnecessary. Wild statements regarding Gen. Lee's visit, requires a reassurance that the visit visit, requires a reassurance that the visit dition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of different engines during the year ending some property of the number and condition of the number and co State Department, as Nelson's early presence was very brief, not ten minutes, and con-versation confined to matters of personal Statement Continued

Consul General Plumb sails for Havana While the expenditures for the en. Lee is stopping in Georgetown, and on Thursday. His instructions include caution against precipitating a quarrel with the

Pointed words of an Old Line Whig Arkansas, vice Creecy. 28, 1822 | RICHMOND. May 3.—Chief Justice Chase as fellows: arrived here this afternoon and opened the United States District Court, assisted by Balance on hand March 1, 1868...... \$ 28,070 24 We lear from the Clarion that the cen-ral radical organ, at Jackson, is trying to the Grand Jury. The jury was composed et ap dissensions between Democrats and entirely of whites, and the iron-clad oath-deline Whigs-ban-there were differences being dispensed with many old citizens aponce and strong ones; but thank God they peared in the jury-box, for the first time while the expenditures amount to \$1,455,112 Casar Griffin, involving the legality of Un- | Sundry items derwood's decision setting aside the action Road expenses, as folof State Courts whose officers are inelligible under the 14th amendment, was called and | Maintenance of way ... 180,000 18

will be argued to-morrow. The 17th Infantry arrived here to-night. tation . Washington, May 3.—It is positively Motive power known that despatches brought by Brink. Maintenance of c contain nothing indicating disposition of Contingencies 22,023 77 Juarez to alienate any portion of Mexican

Treasury disburement in support of the Editor Clarion: — Dear Sir: We were government for the past month, is nearly pained to see a communication in your pa
\$19,500,000, including nearly \$5,000,000 for the past month. It is payable to see a communication in your pa
\$19,500,000, including nearly \$5,000,000 for the payable to army. Judge Breckenridge, collector of Customs and loans outstanding February 28, amounted to \$250,989 21, as follows:

Report of the President of the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company.

OFFICE N. O. J. & G. N. R. R. Co. New Orleans, March 27, 1860. (son and Great Northern-Railroad Company: GENTLEMEN: I have the honor to submit, present annual report of the condition of the road and management of the affairs of the Company to the 28th of February last, the termination of its fiscal year.

In compliance with the requirements of the law, I made to the Governor and Law.

the law, I made to the Governor and Legis- Juriously affected by the heavy charges in lature of Louisiana, on the 30th of December last, a report of the receipts, expenditures and general condition of the Company to the 30th of November, 1868, from which I shall extract in all matters not materially changed since that period.

able comparison with those of any road in the South. No accidents of any serious nature have occurred during the last year.

Two passenger and two freight trains

Two passenger and two freight trains eave and arrive at New Orleans daily. A river front to the Pontchartrain Railroad sleeping car runs through, to and from Lou-sleeping car runs through, to and from Lou-isville, every day. Similar arrangements will soon be made to Columbus. Ky., and to Chattanooga, and one or more passenger cars will be added thereto whenever the cars will be added thereto whenever the over, a patented seat, (Blood's) with a move-able back, is being introduced in the passen-

ost as comfortable as in a sleeping car. The entire motive power and rolling stock of the Company consisted, on the 2sth of February last, of 31 locomotives, 481 cars of all kinds, and 80 pairs of lumber trucks-amply sufficient for the immediate-wants of

which through freights are only oceasional-

in from nine to ten days, and at an average price for light and valuable goods cheaper pending before them.

City Council, who have our petition still company on freight and passengers, a judihan per steamer.

month, notwithstanding the unusually wet weather of the last winter, which has materially affected the receipts of the road. The lowest earnings for any one month (June) was \$57,800 25, and the highest was (for December.) \$146,108 92. The mail earn-

The cost of operating the road, 55 6-10 per week several of the colored population have tion is an entire failure; the Indians are just cent. of the gross earnings, will compare falength (206 miles,) and which is usually over 60 per cent. The per centum on this road panied by his daughter, arrived at Alexan-dria this morning. There was no demonour anticipations of business been realized, We have funded in this city and New York, to 28th of February, 1869, 18,275 corpons of our first mortgage bands, which matured during the war, (or \$731,000 worth,) and the trustees in London have funded to worth.) being all the sterling coupons to be funded. There remains to be funded in the nited States of the entire amount \$117,280. The total indebtedness of the Company, ting and bonded, including all estimated nterest on personal accounts, and bills pay-

> The following statement accompany and form a part of this report: "A"-Report of Civil Engineer. "B"-Report of Masters in Chancery.
> "C"-Statement of the receipts and ex penditures of the Company from its organ-ization to February 28, 1869. Young, and Oakley Hall, for Dana, in the "D"-Statement of the receipts and ex-

enditures of the Company from March 1st, 868, to February 28th 1869. "E"-Statement of bills payable and loans WASHINGTON, May 3.—Boutwell has is- of 3000 first mortgage bonds of the company President Grant would give us a separate sued twelve stringent rules, among them is redeemable July 1, 1886; also of 3000 second

> "I"-Report of the General Superinten 1. Statement of inward and outward

Nelson, new Minister to Mexico, will soon | ceived from March, 1867-'8, to March, 1869. 3. Statement of passenger earnings for Sanora to the United States. Resecranz's despatches will receive no answer from the year ending 28th February, 1899. 6. General Balance sheet of the Transpo-

Statement "C" shows that the receipts from Chase will hold Court successively in pany to the 28th February, 1869, amounts

> same period amounted....... 20,619,553 47 Statement "D" shows that the total receipts

Railroad carnings 1,164,529 76 gage bonds and va-

Conducting transpor-

\$3 00 PER YEAR sonds in course of being funded

tending the receipts or shipments of goods, it behooves all transportation companies to devise means of reducing those charges to a minimum. The New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company has al-The road-bed and rolling stock of the Company have been much improved since the last annual report, and will bear a favortchatoula (48 miles.) which is nearly equal to the quarter cost of transportation over the

y relieve the fatigue of travel during a long the orders of planters and private families.) the grease in the amount of business, and will enable them to rest also is nearly equal to the freight from New Oris nearly equal to the freight from New Orleans to Canton. If this extension were made, we could be to connect with the Pontchartrain tions, and I can but think that there are inable to connect with the Pontchartrain Railroad on the river, and to establish a renewal of the rolling stock have been paid for from the proceeds of the road.

The crib work across the swamps and trairies, from Pass Manchae to near Ponthatoula, are a constant source of expense a repairs. It has been thought advisable to the constructed there are a constant source of expense are pairs.

of a general manager of undoubted experience, activity, intelligence and honesty. The
most satisfactory results are expected from
this arrangement, and if successful, as it is
hoped, the same system will be applied to
other routes northward and eastward, on
which through freights are only occasionally received.

By the Louisville route freights will be
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City Connell, who have our polition still

November, to purchase their supplies, resorted to Northern markets where greater
the first to the State of Louisiana and city of New Orleans own no stock;
whereas they are interested in this company,
the first to the extent of 64,000 shares, and
the latter to that of 80,000 shares. I regret
to inform you that our efforts in the Legislature with no better success than with the
City Connell, who have our polition still

With regard to the tariff rates of the

During the past year, to February 28th, 1869, the freight and passenger earnings have been \$1.141.213.57, averaging \$95,315 13 per month, notwithstanding the unusually wet prise. The road has invested north of Can-, road from falling suddenly into the ham ton, \$541,000, which is at present atterly un-

ction of country through which this ex- worth \$8,000,000, sold by order of been arrested by the military on various as far from peace to-day as they were two vorably with that of any road of the same perity of the South, seem to render immediate as far from peace to-day as they were two vorably with that of any road of the same perity of the South, seem to render immediate as far from peace to-day as they were two vorably with that of any road of the same perity of the South, seem to render immediate as far from peace to-day as they were two vorably with that of any road of the same

catur, with very favorable results. I regret In 1867 and 1868, \$4.50 per bale. In 1862 that his field notes are not sufficiently work- \$3 50 per bale.

involved in the construction of this line of erage rate per bale, 81 37, 212 5-12 miles, it was found that the low In 1868-6, 105,001 bales - \$100,001 value of the stock of this company offered erage rate per bale, \$2.70. hesitated before paying \$25 for a stock that The decrease in rate of freight per be is worth but \$6 or \$7 in open market. It between 1867-8 and 1868-9 is \$0 07. be afforded in the shape of transportations. etc. A bill was prepared for the last session of the Legislatare of Louislana that the Third class, from \$1.00 which act will subsequently have to be con-firmed and ratified by the Legislatures of pounds. has been prepared, which is submitted here-with for your consideration, by which you freight rates, as follows: authorize the Board of Directors to subscribe to the "Decatur Branch" in the name of this

ompany when the work shall have been In the several countles through which this line would pass, we have reason to hope that labor and materials we would obtain a land 18-7-8 110,500 | 0.084,070 | 8400,000 44 | 4 000 subscription of from twenty-five to lifty per cent, of the area of country traversed, which bonds—enough to iron the whole road and look, and that while the increase in the ing is the resolution referred to, which is od is very small, the decrease of the care submitted for your adoption:

Be it resolved by the stockholders of the

New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern falling off, as compared with 1867 8of Directors of the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroad Company are rage settlements on the road, commutation stock of an incorporation, (the organization and at 3c. per talle to all of which is hereafter to be perfected,) under desired to purchase ten a the style of the "Decatur Branch Railroad This rate was established in 1867, and in Company," with a view of extending a line pany, to such company, and take pay for the road, guano and other manures are trapsame in full paid in capital stock.

To show in what favorable light the Mastne Board of Directors have sparsing efforts ters in Chancery, appointed by the United to stimulate trade and settlements along the States Circuit Court, looked upon this proposed extension, they state as follows, in their report herewith accompanying, mark- and tranquilliy been restored to the Senth, their report herewith accompanying, mark-

"When the road is extended, by the way of Aberdeen to the Tennessee river, thus forming a connection with Memphis and Charleson and the Nashville and Selma roads, as which I call your attention to the following originally designed, the company will have statements of the general receipts and exone of the most valuable roads in the South. Traversleg as it would, a country of im- | 1860. mense fertility and inextinle resources, it would bring new fields into cultivation, in comitting items of minor importance, to-all crease the commerce of the South and vastly | Freight ingment the trade of this city. We have no Passage which now paralyze every branch of industry in this section, are settled, capitalists | Received from transporwill take hold of this great enterprise and tation for mail . . . see that it is accomplished. The cost of the extension from Canton to Second mortgage hands

\$278.642 11 charge of the survey, at about \$2.760,000, and from Aberdeen to Decatur, 11975 talles) at about \$3,240,000, or about \$6,000,000 for the whole distance. The decrease of business on the road in Items of minor importance) as follows: 1867 is accounted for very correctly, in my Locomotive engines \$111,258 40 opinion, by the General Superintendent in Railroad cars his report of that year, as follows: "First—To the extraordinary prostration of trade which pervades the entire country. Bridging Second—During three months of the past Levees year, the fever prevailed with considerable Division homes

50000 00 violence in New Orleans, during which time the business of the road was impeded by the establishment of quarantine at Brook- Way station build-

whilst the previous year we received five and seven-tenths (5.7-10) cents per mile, say a reduction of one cent per mile. This reduction of fire was made with the view to facilitate those localities along the line of road, and more particularly these whose necessary for frequent mavel;

The General Superintendent lows, in herewith market "I" "Statement No. 2— over we have being be from connecting roads 55,647 below of cotton, against 52,253 during the year coding 1-to. 2, 1868, making an increase from consec-

"The receipts from local stations fall shops 6700 bales. This discrease in the number of d. I think there are upwards of twenty housand bales of cotton 'yel to come over he road from the present crops "Statement No. 3, Passage Department"

Exhibits the earning at four hundred twenty-eight illumented three hundred ents from the previous year, making icit of thirty-seven thousand, two has ment of the Company for the three puryears and exhibits a decrease in the care.

extent to deductions made in the paverages ger ears of this Company, which will greatly relieve the fatigue of travel during a long for the reduction. This statement shows that fluences beyond our control operating against the commerce of this city."

prairies, from Pass Manchae to near Pontchatoula, are a constant source of expense in repairs. It has been thought advisable to fill up with earth said crib-work, and to raise the track above overflow from the river or the lake. A proper steam excavator has been purchased lately, with which the work can be done at a moderate cost.

After much trouble and annoyance a daily through freight line to and from Lonisville, has been established, under the supervision of a general manager of undoubted experition of a general manager of undoubted experitions the Legislature, which had granted to Paducah and a bridge constructed there across the Ohlo river, probably in about two years, to bring down grain from Illinois and the West, when the Ohio and Upper Mississippi are either frozen or too low for navigation, which is the case several months in the year. We have been trying in vain for the last year to get the right of way to the river from the City Council of New Orleans. Being unsuccessful, we cadeavored to obtain of a general manager of undoubted experition the Legislature, which had granted to Northern markets whore greater is provided there across the Ohlo river, probably in about two years, to bring down grain from Illinois and the West, when the Ohio and Upper Mississippi are either frozen or too low for navigation. We have been trying in vain for the last year to get the right of way to the river from the City Council of New Orleans. Being unsuccessful, we cadeavored to obtain the City Council of New Orleans and only the providence of the pushed the business of the busine

The question of the extension of the road carried out since that to meet the demands

ed up to permit my submitting them herewith, as was my intention. But I refer you to the synopsis of his future report marked In 1866-67, 02.030 bales—\$407,300 021 av-

number of miles traveled for the same peri decrease in passengers, halful; in miles, si-

penditures from June, 1865, to February 28. General receipts from the following sources . ## 288 (99) 21

Aberdeen (122% miles) is roughly estimated by the engineer, Major B. H. Greene, in Currency and gold loan account

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